

CURRENT TOPICS.

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A Pennsylvania man was accidentally swallowed her engagement ring.

Rich deposits of mica just found in Virginia may cheapen that article.

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RETRIBUTION.

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The information shows that Mgr. Satolli has stated appointments for the transaction of business and the trial of the cases at both Kansas City and Lincoln, Neb.

He will go to one of these points from St. Louis, whichever seems the most urgent in need of his presence from the facts which he will learn here in St. Louis.

It is thought, will be first visited after leaving here. There, it is stated, he will take up the long complicated and disagreeable controversy between Father Hines, of Pierce City, and Bishop Hogan, of Kansas City, which grew out of the suspension of Father Hines by the bishop half a dozen years ago for alleged immorality, and which Archbishop Keane has failed to settle.

It is also stated that Mgr. Satolli will probably be fatal. James H. Hines, who was standing near where the shooting occurred, was struck in the right groin by one of the bullets which wounded Waters, and was dangerously wounded.

J. J. Waters and his brother Andrew had just succeeded, through their attorneys, in having the case in which they are indicted in the criminal court, postponed until the next term of court, and J. J. Waters, who had just been passing out of the court room, when young Jones followed and shot him down.

The killing of Monday is the last in a tragedy which was begun last night.

It is said that the Waters brothers, Andrew and James, who were about forty-four and fifty-two years respectively, made an assault on the younger Jones, and that he shot them completely riddled with shot from a double-barreled shotgun.

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